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In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Finis et al.

Application No.: 10/578,738

Confirmation No.: 4472

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For: METHOD FOR ADJUSTING AN
ANGLE OF ROTATION, AND PHASE
DISPLACEMENT DEVICE FOR
CARRYING OUT SAID METHOD

Group: 3748

Examiner: Not Yet Known

Our File: AFT-PT003

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Date: February 8, 2007

**COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO
NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed from the Office
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1. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements;
2. Fully executed Declaration and Power of Attorney to
Customer No. 3624; and
3. Payment of the surcharge fee of \$130 (Form PTO-2038) for a large entity.

Applicant: Finis et al.
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Prompt examination of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/10/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 05/10/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/10/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/10/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/10/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/10/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/10/2006
- Substitute Specification filed on 05/10/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 05/10/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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